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Draft decision submitted by the Chairman of the Committee

Proposed revisions to programme 16 (Environment) of the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997

The General Assembly, having studied the proposed revisions to programme 16 (Environment) of the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997, 1/ decides:

(a) To welcome and endorse the proposed amendment to paragraph 16.14 (new paragraph 16.15), which refers to the need for the medium-term plan to take full account of decisions taken during the current session of the General Assembly concerning the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development;

(b) To recommend that the first sentence of the proposed addition to paragraph 16.31 (new paragraph 16.32) be amended to read "The United Nations Conference on Environment and Development recommended the elaboration of an international convention to combat desertification in those countries experiencing serious drought and/or desertification, particularly in Africa, with a view to finalizing such a convention by June 1994".

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PROGRAMME PLANNING

Revised draft decision submitted by the Chairman of the Committee

Proposed revisions to programme 16 (Environment) of the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997

The Second Committee, having studied the proposed revisions to programme 16 (Environment) of the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997, 1/ decides:

(a) To welcome and endorse the proposed amendment to paragraph 16.14 (new paragraph 16.15), which refers to the need for the medium-term plan to take full account of decisions taken during the current session of the General Assembly concerning the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development;

(b) To recommend that the first sentence of the proposed addition to paragraph 16.31 (new paragraph 16.32) be amended to read "The United Nations Conference on Environment and Development recommended the elaboration of an international convention to combat desertification in those countries experiencing serious drought and/or desertification, particularly in Africa, with a view to finalizing such a convention by June 1994";

(c) To request the Fifth Committee to endorse this decision in its consideration of the agenda item.

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